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TAGS: PINT, SHUM, SY

SUBJECT: SYRIA OFFICIALLY DENIES PRESIDENT ASAD MET WITH
RABBI HERSHBERG

REF: DAMASCUS 5619

AUGUST 26 SYRIAN MEDIA REPORTED TEXT OF STATEMENT FROM
OFFICIAL SYRIAN SOURCE DENYING THAT PRESIDENT ASAD MET WITH
RABBI ABRAHAM HERSHBERG. SINCE MEETING DID NOT TAKE PLACE,
STATEMENT NOTED, RABBI HERSHBERG'S REPORTED REMARKS ABOUT
SUBSTANCE OF ASAD-HERSHBERG TALKS WERE "FABRICATED."
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